

MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC.

The City Amusements. AT THE WALNUT Mr. Joseph Jefferson appeared last night as "Rip Van Winkle."

With regard to Mr. Jefferson's performance of "Rip Van Winkle," it is not necessary that we should make any extended remarks.

On Tuesday Meyerbeer's opera of The Huguenots will be given for the benefit of M. S. Behren's musical director.

AMATEUR DRIVING-ROOM CONCERT.—The entertainment given at this charming little place last evening "for the benefit of an invalid lady" was in all respects a grand success.

Miss Pauline Nininger, soprano, pupil of Professor Etore Barilli; Miss Caroline McCaffrey, contralto; Mr. Thomas Burke, tenor; Mr. Harrison, Mr. Thomas Burke, tenor; Mr. William Stoll, violinist, and Mr. William G. Dietrich, accompanist.

The introductory violin solo, "Fantaisie la Favorite," by Mr. William Stoll, was neatly rendered, but lacked the essentials of an eminently satisfactory performance.

"La Valse," she displayed both artistic execution and emotional fervor, and was given with the true spirit of an artist.

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FOURTH EDITION LATEST FROM WASHINGTON

Secret Message from the President.

A Foreign Power Wants Samana

The Indian Tobacco Seizures.

The Commerce Bill Killed.

Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Sandwich Islands Treaty. Dispatch to the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—The Senate shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon considered the question of ratifying the reciprocity treaty with the Sandwich Islands.

The Government has official information that a first-class European power, possessing only a few seaports, has offered to the Dominican Government two millions of dollars for the Bay of Samana.

The Fifteenth Amendment Bill. The President is authorized to enforce the rights of the citizens of the United States to vote in the several States and for other purposes.

The Alaska Seal Fisheries. The Secretary of the Treasury has given permission to Ketchikan, Alaska, to send the steamer Alexander to San Francisco to catch, now there, to San Francisco, where they will be subject to the orders of the Treasury Department.

The Indian Tobacco Seizure Case. The following telegram, addressed to Commissioner Delano, dated Little Rock, Arkansas, May 30, has been received.

The Commerce Bill Killed. The House by a vote of 169 to 109 has refused to order Mr. Lynch's bill to a third reading under the rules. This insures its defeat.

The San Domingo Treaty. The President sent a secret message to the Senate to-day proposing amendments to the San Domingo Treaty, and also extending the time for the exchange of the ratifications to July 1.

National Holidays. The House Committee on the District of Columbia have decided to report a bill declaring Christmas, New Year's day, July Fourth, and Thanksgiving Day, national holidays.

CONGRESS. Continued from the 10th page. The amendment was agreed to—yeas, 115; nays, 59.

FROM THE WEST. Fire in Topeka. St. Louis, May 31.—A Topeka, Kansas, dispatch says:—A fire from this late evening destroyed Topeka House, one of the principal hotels.

FROM THE SOUTH. Mayor Ellison, of Richmond. RICHMOND, Va., May 31.—The Commissioners elected this morning gave certificates of election to H. K. Ellison as Mayor, and the rest of the conservative city ticket.

Decorating Confederate Graves. The crowd at the National Cemetery yesterday was very large, and many of the graves were decorated with flowers.

PENSIONS, PENSIONS.—ALL WOUNDED or disabled SOLDIERS, also the widows, children under sixteen, or dependent mothers and fathers of those who died in the service, or who were disabled in the service, should apply at once to B. H. LEAGUE & CO.

PRESIDENT LINCOLN, AT THE OUT-break of the War, by proclamation, called for forty-two thousand volunteers to suppress the Rebellion, and the War Department promised that each soldier should have a bounty of \$100 when discharged.

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES HAS DECIDED THAT THIS PROMISED BOUNTY MUST NOW BE PAID. We are prepared to obtain it for every soldier who served before July 22, 1861, for three years, and was subsequently honorably discharged.

SUMMER RESORTS.

MANSION HOUSE, MT. CARBON, Mrs. Caroline Winder, Pottsville, Pa., Schuylkill county.

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